

Amendments to the Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A radio receiver having a plurality of features programmable by a user to create a plurality of radio receiver operating configurations, said operating configurations being selectable by a user to determine which of said configurations will control the operation of said radio receiver at a given time, data relating to the programmable features defining a user data set-up configuration, the said radio receiver comprising:

a housing;

~~an auxiliary memory~~ a memory disposed within said housing, said ~~auxiliary memory~~ configured such that a plurality of ~~user data set-up~~ radio receiver operating configurations are storable therein;

~~a working memory disposed within said housing, said working memory configured such that at least one of said user data set-up configurations for use by the radio receiver is storable in said working memory; and~~

a user interface coupled to said memory for enabling a user to program said plurality of radio receiver operating configurations and store said configurations in said memory, and for enabling a user to select one of said radio receiver operating configurations to control the operation of said radio receiver at a plurality of given times

~~wherein said radio receiver is configured to manage said plurality of user data set-up configurations.~~

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2. (Currently Amended) A radio receiver as defined in claim 1, wherein the radio receiver is configured such that a plurality of ~~user-data-set-up~~ operating configurations are stored and managed within said radio receiver ~~without using a computer in communication with the radio receiver.~~

3. (Currently Amended) A radio receiver as defined in claim 1, further comprising:
a microprocessor disposed within said housing and in communication with said ~~auxiliary~~ memory, and wherein said microprocessor is configured to manage said plurality of ~~user-data-set-up~~ operating configurations.

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Currently Amended) A radio receiver as defined in claim 1, wherein said ~~working~~ memory is non-volatile.

6. (Currently Amended) A radio receiver as defined in claim 1, wherein said ~~working~~ memory comprises an EEPROM.

7-10. (Cancelled)

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11. (Currently Amended) A radio receiver ~~having a plurality of features programmable by a user, data relating to the programmable features defining a user data set-up configuration; the radio receiver as defined in claim 1, further comprising:~~

~~a housing;~~

~~a memory disposed within said housing, said memory storing a plurality of user data set-up configurations;~~

~~a working memory pointer, wherein said working memory pointer identifies the user data set-up operating configuration in use by the said radio receiver; and~~

~~wherein said radio receiver is configured to manage said plurality of user data set-up configurations.~~

12-16. (Cancelled)

17. (Currently Amended) A method for managing ~~multiple user data set-up~~ a plurality of operating configurations for a radio receiver comprising the steps of:

providing a radio receiver including a housing, ~~an auxiliary~~ a memory disposed within said housing configured such that a plurality of ~~user data set-up~~ operating configurations are storable therein, ~~a working memory disposed within said housing, said working memory storing at least one of said user data set-up configurations; wherein said radio receiver is configured to manage said plurality of user data set-up configurations~~ a user interface coupled to said memory for enabling a user to program said plurality of radio receiver operating configurations; and

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operating the radio receiver to store data relating to ~~the multiple user data set-up~~ said
operating configurations in said ~~auxiliary~~ memory.

18. (Currently Amended) A method as defined in claim 17, further including the step of:

operating the radio receiver to retrieve data relating to one of ~~the multiple user data set-up~~
said operating configurations ~~from said auxiliary memory and to move said data to said working~~
memory.

19. (Cancelled)

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